

10-104 – An Ordinance enacting regulations for the operation and use of off-highway vehicles within Garden City, Rich County, State of Utah

- A. Policy. In enacting this Ordinance, it is the policy of Garden City to promote safety and protection for persons, and property in connection with the use, operation, and the equipment of off-highway vehicles in Garden City.
- B. Definitions. The terms used in this Ordinance shall have the same definitions as provided in Title 41-22-2, Utah Code Annotated.
- C. C. Designation of streets.
 - 1. Pursuant to the authority granted to the Town Council in Section 41-22-2, Utah Code Annotated, the Garden City streets, shown on the map attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference as Exhibit A, are hereby designated as off-highway vehicle routes for the specific purpose of allowing off-highway vehicle operators to gain direct access to or from a private or public area open for off-highway vehicle use. Streets designated as open to OHV use will be marked appropriately.
 - 2. Off highway vehicles are not permitted on any other streets in Garden City except as provided in sub-section A.
 - 3. A person may not operate an off-highway vehicle, except for off-highway implements of husbandry under Section 41-25-5.5, Utah Code Annotated, when used in accordance with said section, on any street in Garden City, for any other purpose than to gain direct access to or from a private or public area open for off-highway vehicle use.
 - 4. The speed limit for all off-highway vehicles operated within Garden City shall be 15 miles per hour.
 - 5. No off-highway vehicles shall be allowed on any Garden City street between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m.
 - 6. Off-highway vehicles are not allowed to operate along the Garden City Bike and Pedestrian Path except as allowed for snowmobiles in Garden City Ordinance 10-100.
 - 7. OHV operators are encouraged and expected to utilize the right shoulder of the roadway and yield to other motor vehicle, pedestrian, equestrian and bicycle traffic.
 - 8. Off-highway vehicle operators are expected to obey all traffic laws.
- D. Adoption of State Code Provisions. The provisions of Title 41 Chapter 22, off-highway vehicles (updated 30, April 2007) is hereby approved & adopted as the off-highway rules and regulations of the Town of Garden City except as such rules & regulations may be specifically altered or modified by the ordinances of this Town.
- E. Effective Dates. This ordinance shall become effective immediately after passage and publication as required by law.
- F. Enforcement. This ordinance shall be enforceable by any peace officer as authorized by the State of Utah.

